

In the claims:

Amend the claims as attached.

CLAIMS

Amend the following claims:

1. A hand-guided percussion drilling machine, comprising a machine housing; a drilling spindle having an axis; a drive motor for rotatably

[and strikingly through a striking mechanism] driving said drilling spindle; a tool

holder formed as a drilling chuck and screwed with said drilling spindle

through a thread, said drilling spindle during exchanging a tool or exchanging

said tool holder receiving a releasing or tightening moment; an arresting

device [non]-rotatably coupling said drilling spindle relative to said machine

housing; an intermediate shaft ^{should be "rotatably"} [non]-rotatably connected with said drilling

spindle and extending parallel to and at a distance from ^{AB} said driving spindle;

a component connected with said machine housing; said arresting device

being arranged between said intermediate shaft connected with said drilling

spindle and an element selected from the group consisting of said machine

housing and said component connected with said machine housing, said

arresting device opening during a torque transmission from said drive motor

to the tool in one direction and closing during the torque transmission from

said tool holder in an opposite direction and is uncoupled from strikes of said

drilling spindle so that it is not subjected to the strikes.

5. A hand-guide percussion drilling machine as defined in claim [1] 2, wherein said arresting coupling has a disc with a plurality of driver elements radially projecting from said disc a torque transmission, said [intermediate] disc having a bearing seat on which said shaft is non-rotatably arranged.

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8. A hand-guided drilling machine or percussion drilling machine, comprising a machine housing; a drilling spindle having an axis; a drive motor for rotatably and strikingly through a striking mechanism driving said drilling spindle; a tool holder formed as a drilling chuck and connected with said drilling spindle, said drilling spindle during exchanging a tool or exchanging said tool holder receiving a releasing or tightening moment; an arresting device [non-]rotatably coupling said drilling spindle relative to said machine housing; an intermediate shaft [non-]rotatably connected with said drilling spindle and extending parallel to and at a radial distance from said driving spindle; a component connected with said machine housing; said arresting device being arranged between said intermediate shaft connected with said drilling spindle and an element selected from the group consisting of said machine housing and said component connected with said machine housing, said arresting device opening during a torque transmission from said drive motor to the tool in one direction and closing during the torque

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16 transmission from said tool holder in an opposite direction and is uncoupled from strikes of said drilling spindle so that it is not subjected to the strikes.

12. A hand-guided drilling machine as defined in claim [10]9, wherein said arresting device has a disc with a plurality of driver elements radially projecting from said disc for torque transmission, said intermediate shaft having a bearing seat on which said disc is non-rotatably arranged.

15. A hand-guided drilling machine or percussion drilling machine, comprising a machine housing; a drilling spindle having an axis; a drive motor for rotatably driving said drilling spindle; a tool holder formed as a drilling chuck and screwed with said drilling spindle through a thread, said drilling spindle during exchanging a tool or exchanging said tool holder receiving a releasing or tightening moment; an arresting device non-rotatably coupling said drilling spindle relative to said machine housing; an intermediate shaft [non-]rotatably connected with said drilling spindle and extending parallel to and at a radial distance from ^{AB} said driving spindle; a component connected with said machine housing; said arresting device being arranged between said intermediate shaft connected with said drilling spindle and an element selected from the group consisting of said machine housing and said component connected with said machine housing, said

arresting device opening during a torque transmission from said drive motor to the tool in one direction and closing during the torque transmission from said tool holder in an opposite direction.